

Beclaration, Power Of Attorney and Petition

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WE (I) the undersigned inventor(s), hereby declare(s) that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

We (I) believe that we are (I am) the original, first, and joint (sole) inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

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"IMAGE F	ORMING APPARATUS, IMAGE TRANSF	FERRING DEVICE	AND		
RECORDING MEDIUM CONVEYING METHOD"					
the specification	of which				
	is attached hereto.		• 1		
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	Application Serial No. 09/696,959				
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- We (I) hereby state that we (I) have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.
- We (I) acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to be material to the patentability of this application as defined in Section 1.56 of Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations.
- We (I) hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed. Prior Foreign Application(s)

Application No.	Country	Day/Month/Year	Priority Claimed	
11-308404 (JP)	Japan	October 29, 1999	X Yes	□ No
2000-113703 (JP)	Japan	April 14, 2000	☑ Yes	□ No
2000-249856 (JP)	Japan	August 21, 2000	I Yes	□ No
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We (I) hereby claim the benefit application(s) listed below.	under Title 35, United	l States Code, § 119	(e) of any United States provisional
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each of the claims of this application in the manner provided by the first	signating the United S on is not disclosed in the st paragraph of 35 U.S sility as defined in 37 (tates, listed below a ne prior United Stat i.C. § 112, I acknow CFR § 1.56 which	tes application(s), or § 365(c) of any and, insofar as the subject matter of the sor PCT International application alledge the duty to disclose informational available between the filing the of this application.
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